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SHERIFF CABELL'S INSTRUCTIONS.

Attorney General Crane Assures Him That the Coming Together of the Fugitives Would be a Riotous Assemblage, and Must be Prevented at All Hazards.

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 28.—Attorney General Crane today gave out his second opinion anent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight at Dallas in October. This opinion was called for by an interrogatory propounded by Sheriff Cabell, of Dallas county, as to whether, in suppressing the fight, he was legally empowered to shoot and kill those who interfered with him. The matter was referred to the attorney general by the governor, and in his opinion he holds that in the discharge of his duty the sheriff certainly has the right to use firearms if emergency demands. The attorney general has his opinion on the statutes governing riots, etc. He holds that the participants in the fight, their seconds, referees, etc., will constitute more than three people, and inasmuch as they are assembled for the purpose of violating one of the statutes they are an unlawful assembly, and he holds that they are liable to summary convictions if the emergency arises.

The attorney general argues that the fighters, with all those in attendance, will certainly be a gathering in violation of the law, and that under the law the sheriff or any sworn peace officer is bound to disperse said assemblage at any cost. As to the question of killing those who interfere with him, the attorney general cites article 66 of the penal code, which says: "Homicide is justifiable when necessary to suppress a riot, when the same is attempted to be suppressed in the manner pointed out in the code of crime procedure, and can in no way be suppressed except by taking life."

The attorney general also adds that the loss of his opinion that while he does not think there will be any occasion for the sheriff to shoot any one in a peaceable way like Dallas, that if the emergency arises that will necessitate his shooting and killing those who interfere with his duties, that he will in no wise be held responsible for the murder.

To Punish the Bull Fighters.

DENVER, Aug. 28.—J. H. Wolfe, of Phipple Creek, the promoter of the Gillette bull fights, was arrested yesterday. He was unable to furnish bonds, and is now in the El Paso county jail. Officers have been sent to Gillette to arrest the Mexican bull fighters, together with the headmen, Arizona Charley and the old. Adjutant General Moore and his assistant, General Klee, swore out the warrants, which charged conspiracy, and will conduct the prosecution.

VALKYRIE ON A TRIAL SPIN.

Her Rapidity in Going About Surprises the Yachting Crews.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The British cup challenger Valkyrie took her first trial spin in American waters yesterday, and clearly showed herself a powerful boat, how powerful it was impossible to judge under the conditions of the trip, although the Vigilant ran beside her for a time. Valkyrie got under way shortly after 3 o'clock. It was just the breeze said to be best suited to the English yacht. Only her main sail and jib were set, but they were both of enormous size, and splendid in their setting. Shortly before 4 o'clock Vigilant passed outside of the Hook, and Valkyrie followed her until off the East Beacon lighthouse, when the cup challenger put about and headed back for the bay. She went through the water fast and stood up remarkably well in the breeze of about nine knots an hour, but, the experts said, threw up more water about her bows than Defender would under like conditions.

After reaching a point to the northward of the Southwest Spit Valkyrie went about for the second time, and in doing so she astonished all the "cranks." She simply turned on her heel as though she had been on a pivot.

Valkyrie afterwards made a couple of tacks inside the Hook but those who were handling her never let her best form be seen. She returned to her anchorage about 4 o'clock, and Vigilant followed soon afterward.

TRAGEDY OF A STRIKE.

An Assault by Strikers Results in the Shooting of Three Men.

WAPAKONETA, O., Aug. 28.—The strike here on the water works trenches developed into a tragedy yesterday afternoon, and three men, Joshua Tiller of Pittsburg and Albert Selfert and Oscar Voorhees, of this place, were shot through the bowels. Selfert also received a bullet in the arm and another through the hand. Tiller will die. Monday morning the men went on strike and declared that no one should go to work until their demands were satisfied. Some of them went to work at noon yesterday, but were driven out.

The trustees and contractor ordered Lewis Vansinker and another party to fill some trenches and cover some pipe in the second ward. They began work and a crowd of strikers congregated and commenced beating Vansinker over the head with picks and shovel handles, breaking the largest ones by the force of the blows. After he had been struck several times he drew a revolver from his pocket and fired into his assailants three times, with the above results.

Several of the participants have been arrested, and the officials are after others. Tiller was apparently the leader of the strike, and was with Coxey as he marched to Washington, and was also in the Chicago riots.

Armenians Again Terror Stricken.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 28.—Advices received here from Erzerum say the greatest terror prevails among the Armenians there, owing to the attitude of the Turkish authorities. The latter, in consequence of an attack which was recently made by brigands upon a Turkish colonel, during which a member of his escort was killed, are believed to be taking steps which will have most serious consequences. The Armenians are accused of being the authors of the attack on the colonel, and it is alleged that a large force of Turkish troops has been retreating by attacking the villages and monasteries of the vicinity and engaging in other acts of violence.

Hovey Wins the Tennis Championship.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 28.—The greatest tennis match of the year was played yesterday when the winner of the all comers tournament, W. F. Hovey, met R. P. Wrenn, the present champion, to decide the national championship. Hovey won in three straight sets, the score being 6-3; 6-2; 6-4. The odds were 10 to 8 in Wrenn's favor. He was fresh for the match, while Hovey had been playing every day of the tournament.

New Jersey Forest Fires Extinguished.

EDGE HARBOR, N. J., Aug. 28.—The heavy rains of yesterday, aided by the united efforts of the farmers and townsmen, extinguished the great forest fire that has been burning south of this place. Six square miles of pine forest and cranberry bog were burned over in the course of the fire. The loss is hard to estimate. In the case of the cranberry growers, they claim that their crops for years to come will not pay them.

Engineer Loescher Charged with Murder.

DENVER, Aug. 28.—Helmuth P. Loescher, the engineer of the Gamby hotel, has been lodged in jail. The warrant on which Loescher is held charges him with murder.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

The twelfth juror for the trial of Durant, the alleged San Francisco murderer, has not yet been secured.

J. C. Prevost, registrar of the supreme court of British Columbia, an alleged embezzler, is a fugitive from justice.

Dr. W. W. Cable, an eminent physician of Pittsburg, and a brother of George Cable, the novelist, died in that city, aged 70 years.

Because he could not marry 13-year-old Nellie Booker, near Itaska, Tex., John Brown cut her throat and his own. Both died instantly.

A dispatch from Rome says the pope will assent to a request for him to arbitrate the frontier dispute between Italy and San Domingo.

A dispatch from Shanghai says that a magistrate of Szechwan, near Wuhan, was beaten by several native evangelists and nearly flogged to death.

An unknown tramp, about 28 years old, was murdered on a Pennsylvania freight train near Mansfield, O. Five tramps are under arrest on suspicion.

Charles St. John, a noted burglar and safe blow, was arrested at Kansas City yesterday. He is 45 years of age, and has spent half of his life in prison.

QUAY'S FRIENDS LEAD

In the Fight for Republican Control in Pennsylvania.

A MAJORITY OF THE DELEGATES

Met at the Quay Headquarters and Declared Their Allegiance to the Junior Senator in the Great Party Contest. Gilkeson Captures the Opera House.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 28.—Both factions of the Pennsylvania Republican party held held caucuses in this city last night, with the result that Senator Quay has apparently won his fight, the caucus of his followers containing 153 delegates, whose seats are uncontested, or seven more than the number necessary to a choice. The anti-Quay people got together first, but their session was a secret and short one, lasting about ten minutes. There was no roll call. It is understood that Dr. R. Bruce Burns, of Philadelphia, presided. Governor Hastings offered a resolution asking that a committee of five be appointed to draft the business of the caucus into shape and to "arrange any other business necessary," which was adopted. The committee appointed under this resolution was composed of George S. Graham of Philadelphia, R. M. Yardley, William Flynn and Emerson Collins. The caucus then adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

The caucus of the Quay delegates met in the Quay headquarters at 9:35 o'clock, and the reporters for the newspapers were admitted. On motion of Walter Lyon, of Pittsburg, Senator Penrose of Philadelphia, was made chairman. In taking the chair, the latter made a short speech, in the course of which he said:

"The people are against the combine and resent the treatment of Senator Quay. We have won our credentials honestly, and will elect the man who is the friend of every Republican in Pennsylvania, and who stands closer to the people than any other American citizen. No other man could have won against the combined power of patronage and money that we have contended against. Senator Quay's sagacity and knowledge of men has been vindicated, and he will be elected by an overwhelming majority."

Senator Arthur Kennedy, of Allegheny, was chosen secretary. At this juncture Senator Quay was escorted into the hall, and a scene of the wildest enthusiasm ensued. In a speech he said: "I understand that a hundred and sixty delegates are here. If that is so the great issue which has convulsed the Republicans of Pennsylvania for the past two months is settled. The battle was fought in the interest of good government generally and the purity of Republican politics. You fought under unfavorable circumstances. The next time you wage war with your opponents of today the state will go overwhelmingly in your behalf."

The roll of delegates was then called, and 152, whose seats are uncontested, answered to their names. The five contestants from Philadelphia and one from Wyomissing were called and their votes counted. When the name of Henry R. Shultz, of Philadelphia, was called United States District Attorney Ingham, of Philadelphia, stated that he had a telegram from Mr. Shultz saying that he had missed the train, but if in Harrisburg he would be with Quay. Mr. Shultz was therefore added to the roll, and Chairman Penrose announced a total of 153 delegates for Quay, six of whom are contestants, leaving 153, or eight more than the 145 necessary to elect.

Senator Thomas, of Philadelphia, offered a resolution stating that the chairman of the state committee having failed to designate in his call for the convention the place for holding the meeting, a committee be appointed to select a suitable place, and that the members of the committee be authorized to issue a call for the convention. This resolution was adopted, after Walter Lyon had made a speech, in which he said it was rumored on the streets that it is the purpose of Chairman Gilkeson to attempt to hold the convention in the Opera House, which is now in the possession of a desperate set of men.

"Delegates favorable to Quay," he said, "take their lives in their hands when they go to that house. Riot and bloodshed may result. The strong should always be merciful to the weak. They should not forget what is due to a misled minority. It is proper to hold the convention where its business can be transacted peaceably and in order."

Senator Thomas' resolution was adopted, and H. M. Moore, W. H. Andrews, Alexander Crow, T. V. Cooper and Walter Lyon were named as the committee.

In declaring the meeting adjourned, at 10:15 o'clock, Chairman Penrose cautioned the delegates to accept tickets only from the Quay people, and to be prompt and faithful in their attendance at the convention.

A dramatic company was holding forth at the Opera House, and there was to have been a matinee yesterday afternoon and a performance at night. Chairman Gilkeson is said to have received information that the Quay people had planned to fill the house at the afternoon performance with "heelers," who would refuse to leave at the end of the performance, and remain all night, thus gaining possession of the house. To circumvent this move Chairman Gilkeson bought off the theatrical company and, securing the keys from the lessee, placed in the house about a hundred ex-police men, special officers and other determined men, who arrived from Pittsburg yesterday under the charge of Superintendent of Police Roger O'Meara, of that city. Their men were sent into them, and they remained in the house all night.

Today's convention is to select candidates for state treasurer and superior judgeships. B. J. Haywood, of Mercer county, will probably be chosen for state treasurer, but in the light of the events of last night it is possible that the six judges who were appointed by Governor Hast-

ings, and who, it was thought, would be unopposed for the nomination, will find themselves cast aside by the Quay people, and new men named for their places. Among the dark horses named are Judges Wilhelm of Schuylkill, Davenport of Erie, Stewart of Franklin, Crumline of Washington and Schaefer of Delaware. The anti-Quay leaders are claiming that there were 153 delegates at their caucus last night, although there was no roll call and no reporters present, and that the Quay people worked the old trick of answering to the names of delegates who were not present. The Quay people, however, publish the list of delegates who answered to their names.

BOSTON'S GREATEST GALA DAY.

The Monster Reception Accorded the Visiting Knights Templar.

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—All Boston is discussing the greatest gala day the city has ever seen. For more than five hours yesterday the principal avenues were occupied by plumed Knights Templar, and hundreds of thousands of spectators obliged the principal sidewalks to give them room. There was nearly 6 o'clock when the last commandery broke ranks at the foot of Washington street and traffic was entirely resumed. All the afternoon the street car system was almost entirely suspended, even in the streets through which the parade did not pass. When the cars did start up there was the greatest rush ever seen in Boston.

There were none too many grandstands to accommodate the immense throng that clamored for seats, although almost every foot of available space along the line of march had been covered with platforms and seats. Every inch of space was occupied, and there was hardly breathing room. Both incoming and outgoing local trains were practically deserted during the afternoon, but as soon as the parade was over there was a stampede for the depots, and the early evening trains were crowded to suffocation. This great exodus, however, seemed to make no appreciable difference in the size of the crowd, which still continued to fill every thoroughfare.

The knights presented a splendid appearance on parade, and, with very few exceptions, completed the entire line of march. As they passed the reviewing stands before Grand Commander McCurdy and Governor Greenhalge, and later before Chief Marshal Lawrence and Mayor Curtis, many of them executed intricate military evolutions, which won the admiration of the thousands who witnessed them. These tactics were also introduced by the more proficient commanderies at intervals along the line of march. Great admiration was expressed at the appearance of the California and other western delegations.

German-American Veterans in Berlin.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—The train having on board the German American veterans arrived yesterday for a Bremen harbor. They were warmly welcomed by the military and other associations, who assembled in large numbers at the depot with their banners. An imposing procession was formed, and the visitors were escorted to the Tilgner stadium, a number of military bands taking part in the parade. The visitors received an enthusiastic greeting from the public all along the route, and were afterwards entertained at lunch. At 3 o'clock the procession was reformed, and the veterans marched to the war monument erected to the memory of those who fell in the battles fought by Germany against France during the war of 1870-71.

Jail Breaking Prevented.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—While Deputy Sheriff Ashby was making his nightly rounds of the county jail last night Samuel Valentine, William Moore and another prisoner jumped up in him from behind a door and beat him with blackjacks, intending to murder him and make their escape. Sheriff Johnson arrived in the nick of time, and assisted the deputy. They placed two of the men in the stocks, but Valentine jumped through a window to the jail yard. The sheriff and Ashby sprang after him, and soon returned him to his cell. Had the attempted delivery been successful sixteen prisoners would have made their escape. All three men are desperate criminals.

Brental White Cap Outrage in Virginia.

SERGIANT, Ky., Aug. 28.—Great excitement prevails on the Virginia side of the Cumberland mountains six miles east of this place, over a white cap outrage. Shortly before midnight an unknown number of men went to the home of Martha White, a well known old woman, aged 65 years, and pulled both her and her 20-year-old daughter from their beds, and taking them to a patch of woods near their home, tied them to a tree and beat them brutally. They were finally rescued by a neighbor. Today they are still alive, but are not expected to survive their injuries. If caught the whole party will likely be lynched.

Minister Ransom Reappointed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The White House mail yesterday bore the commission of Matt W. Ransom to be United States minister to Mexico. The commission was dated Aug. 21. This ends a legal complication by which Minister Ransom, after several months' service at his post at the City of Mexico, was declared ineligible to fill the office to which he had been appointed prior to the expiration of his term as United States senator.

Indian Tax Gatherers.

CHICKASAW, I. T., Aug. 28.—Governor P. I. Mosely, of the Chickasaw nation, accompanied by a body of Indian police, arrived here at 11 o'clock to collect the 1 per cent. tax of white intruders or put those who should, refuse to pay it out of the territory. There is considerable excitement over the matter. It is difficult to tell the outcome, but it is believed that those who have refused to settle will do so now.

Charged with Malpractice.

READING, Pa., Aug. 28.—Dr. Henry Hepler was arrested last night and held in jail, charged with causing the death of Miss Clara Rapp, aged 19 years, by malpractice. Her lover, D. W. Barlow, is already in jail.

HOWARD PITZEL'S BODY

Discovered at Last in a Suburb of Indianapolis.

MORE EVIDENCE AGAINST HOLMES.

The Trunk in Which the Body Was Probably Removed Also Unearthed—The Boy's Body Had Been Partially Destroyed by Fire, but Convicting Bones Remain.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 28.—Indianapolis will claim the right to try H. H. Holmes for murder. This claim will be based upon the horrible developments of yesterday, which include the finding of the charred remains of 9-year-old Howard Pitzel, and evidence which should convict H. H. Holmes of having murdered him and then partially burned his body in his store. Detectives Geyer of Philadelphia, Richards of Indianapolis and Inspector Geyer of the Fidelity Insurance company, have been at work for weeks hunting for traces of the boy's body. He was traced here with Holmes and disappeared.

The city was scoured and work began in the suburbs hunting for a house rented by Holmes on Oct. 11 or 12 of last year. Yesterday morning the detectives went to Covington, a suburb of the city, and the seat of Butler college, and before they had been at work an hour their attention was called by a local real estate dealer to a small vacant cottage situated in the woods at the edge of town, and far from any other dwelling. The party went to the house, and a few minutes later the officers found beneath the side porch the missing trunk which was taken from the side door of the Circle House in this city on Oct. 10 by H. H. Holmes, and which was thought to contain the body of the boy. In a barn connected with the house was a large stove of cylindrical shape, of the same pattern as Holmes bought in Cincinnati.

Late last evening Dr. J. F. Barnhill's attention was called by a small boy named Walter Jenny to the stove hole where the stove had been. It was filled with refuse. This was pulled out and the remains of the boy were found. Physicians and dentists were there, and in this pile of refuse hundreds of pieces of charred bones were found. The teeth showed that the body was that of a boy between 8 and 10 years of age, and all the other bones confirmed this. All were charred and pieces of flesh clung to some of them. The skull bones and pelvis added to the same convincing truth.

The boy had evidently been burned in a coal fire in the huge stove found in the barn. Howard's overcoat was found at a grocery store near by, where Holmes had left it, saying the boy would call for it. He never came. Owners of the house recognized Holmes from the pictures shown them. All identify him as the man who, last October, rented the house with the same story he told in Toronto and other places, came with the boy and the big stove, wash stand and bed, stayed two days, and then disappeared. Several people have identified him, and all doubt is removed.

One of Holmes' Statements Disproved.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Minnie Williams was never at the Presbyterian hospital, as claimed by H. H. Holmes in his recent statement. Dr. Stanner, of the hospital medical staff, said: "I have read Holmes' statement. It is absolutely untrue that Minnie Williams was a patient at this hospital in 1893 or at any time. Holmes' story is false on the face of it. He says that the Williams woman was admitted to this institution when suffering from acute mania. We never receive any patient mentally afflicted."

Seismic Disturbances in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 28.—Scientists are greatly interested in phenomena occurring at the town of Pinetop, state of Olanahu, where since Nov. 2 of last year not a day has passed without an earthquake shock. People have abandoned their stone houses, and are living in huts made of wood and matting. Great alarm prevails, for each daily shock is preceded by ominous rumblings under the sea, which is only twelve miles distant. There is observable at various points in southern Mexico much seismic activity, and the subterranean roaring at Tehuacan, state of Puebla, and recurring shocks of earthquake make it seem probable that another volcano is forming.

Tyler Defeats Johnson and Sanger.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 28.—The Toledo exposition races opened with fair weather and a good track. The feature of the day was the professional bicycle racing. In the one mile flying start between Sanger, Tyler and Johnson Tyler won out by a yard. Johnson beat Sanger by about the same distance. Time, 2:11½. The second race was the mile handicap. This was won by Tyler (scratch); with Werning (110 yards), second, and O'Connor (40 yards), third. Time, 3:23. Sanger, paced by two tandem teams, went a half mile against time, and made a circuit in 53½ seconds, with a flying start.

Settlers to be Ousted.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Aug. 28.—Consternation has been caused in this and adjoining counties by the appearance of an army lieutenant and a squad of men, with instructions to all settlers on government reserves to vacate the same before Sept. 15 or be removed by the troops. This move is the outcome of a recent order of the war department, and it is conservatively estimated that 1,500 settlers will lose their homes.

All Hands on Board Saved.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Aug. 28.—The bark Sonoma, just returned from Port Clarence, brought H. R. Wood, freight clerk of the brig W. H. Mayer, which was wrecked at Port Clarence July 11. The vessel dragged her anchors in a heavy storm, going ashore. The report that seven lives were lost is incorrect, all of the crew and the passengers escaping safely.

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Young Man (with expectations contingent on elderly relative's last will and testament)—Aunt Rachel, she is the best girl alive! She plays the piano beautifully, she can paint on china, speak French like a native and—
"Plays tennis, I suppose?"
"Oh, yes; she's a capital tennis player."
"Rides a bicycle?"
"To perfection."
"Hm! Wears bloomers?"
"It—sometimes."
(Gravely)—You had better find out if the cat can catch the mouse.—Philadelphia Times.

A Marvel of Art.
The carpet that Nasrulla Khan presented to the queen from his father, the amir of Afghanistan, is a marvel of art. It is 15 inches long by 15 inches high. It is cut from a block of lapis lazuli, and is incrust with large diamonds, rubies and emeralds. From the four top corners spring stars containing 612 brilliants. The value of the whole is \$85,000. The queen in return sent a gold plate service and other presents of equal value.—Philadelphia Ledger.

In 1887 drought and intensely hot weather prevailed in northwest India. Over 800,000 persons perished from famine. Similar destruction was wrought by the same causes in 1865 and 1868, over 2,000,000 persons perishing of hunger in the two years.

Muskegon, the name of a Michigan river, means "plenty of fish."

Will Fight Bell Telephone.
Representatives from 23 of the leading telephone manufacturing and operating companies in the country met here at the Hotel Duquesne today and completed the permanent organization of the National Independent Telephone Company of the United States. The representatives come from all the leading cities of the country, and the day was spent in completing plans. Fifty millions of capital was represented in the meeting, and the principal object seems to be the establishment of a rival to the Bell Telephone company.

John B. Gauss of New York, who was one of the prime movers of the new scheme, announced tonight that the National company will at once begin suit against the Bell Telephone company for infringement of patents. He says the decision handed down in the United States court of appeals in Boston on May 15, regarding the Berliner patents, has shown that there is a question of doubt as to the validity of the Bell patents, and the new company will fight it to the bottom.—St. Louis Republic.

When Cuba Becomes a Republic.
Authentic news from Cuba is hard to get, and the actual state of things on the island can only be guessed at. But the members of the Revolutionary party in this country entertain no doubt of the success of the insurgent forces. So confident are they indeed that they are planning to hold a meeting in New York at an early date for the purpose of completing the form of a provisional government and electing a president of the republic of Cuba.—New York Tribune.

Soda Fountain Keepers Must Catch On.
There is complaint from the women because the soda fountain keepers do not set up a free lunch. A glass of soda costs as much as a glass of beer, and the beer drinker gets an appetizing free lunch thrown in. This discrimination in favor of the men is very annoying to the women, and they talk of boycotting every fountain in town unless they are treated differently.—Atchison Globe.

Gold Syndicate Is Out of Work.
Having fulfilled their financial obligations to the United States government, the syndicate that negotiated the \$64,000,000 gold loan will be dissolved in a short time unless something unusual happens.—New York Advertiser.

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They Are Rapidly Procuring Arms and Ammunition of Ultimate Victory.

The Cuban patriots have an army of 25,000 men in the field and are making such a formidable fight for liberty that the first Spanish reserve has been called out to re-enforce the 125,000 troops General Martinez Campos is ineffectually trying to put down the rebellion in Cuba. Santa Clara and Puerto Principe, two of the six provinces, are almost wholly in the possession of the insurgents, who are gaining strength and confidence every day. Just now the Cubans and their friends in the United States are particularly encouraged because of the fact that Major General Carlos Roloff and eight other brave patriot officers recently landed in Santa Clara, Cuba, with the most powerful expedition ever dispatched by the friends of the insurgents.

Hundreds of repeating rifles, two small cannons for mountain fighting, hundreds of revolvers, 700,000 rounds of ammunition, 500 pounds of dynamite and many other munitions of war urgently needed by the patriots were carried in safety past watching Spanish cruisers and placed in the hands of General Roloff.

GENERAL ROLOFF.
Zayas, who is in command of the Santa Clara troops. Nearly 500 men, many of them veterans of the last war for independence, were landed at the same time. The money to pay for all these supplies was raised by the friends of the insurgents in New York, and it is said that these patriotic sympathizers expended about \$50,000 in fitting out the expedition. The arms and ammunition were purchased in the United States, carried to the Bahamas in small boats, landed on four schooners flying the British flag and then hurried to the Cuban coast.

Since the late war for independence began it is said 5,000 rifles, 2,000,000 rounds of ammunition and numerous other supplies have been sent to the patriots from the United States. The insurgents say Spain is out of money and that as her troops will not fight unless they are paid, victory seems certain for the flag with the single star.

How It Was Done.

"Is it true that Norris is engaged to Miss Oswald?"

"Quite."

"But he never appeared to be a marrying man."

"Neither is he."

"Then why is he engaged?"

"He didn't want to be."

"Then why did he propose?"

"He didn't."

"Then how did he get engaged?"

"By smart work."

"But getting engaged when you don't want to is not smart work."

"Of course not."

"Then, why did you say it was?"

"I did not say it was."

"What did you say, then?"

"That it was smart work which got him engaged, but I did not say that it was his."

"Whose was it, then?"

"That of his future mother-in-law."

"But Mrs. Oswald is not smart. Even Miss Oswald is of the dowdy order."

"Doubtless in appearance, but the old lady is smart mentally."

"What did she do?"

"I'll tell you the whole story. Miss Oswald usually wears lace up shoes."

"I do not see what that can have to do with the engagement."

"Everything. Norris was making a call, and Miss Oswald's shoe lace came undone. She asked Norris to tie it for her. He knelt down to do so. As he did so the old lady entered. She took in the situation at a glance."

"I have really been expecting you to propose for some time, Mr. Norris," she said.

"And Norris had not the presence of mind to explain. So he is engaged without proposing."—Exchange.

Sympathy For the Soldiers.

Old Lady—Poor fellow! And so you are a soldier?

Corporal Cannon—Yes, ma'am.

Old Lady—I'm awfully sorry for you. My, my! To think that they never allow you to sit down.

Corporal Cannon—Ma'am?

Old Lady—I said I was sorry for you and it is heartless and cruel for the government to keep a standing army all the time.

Corporal Cannon—Ma'am? Oh, yes, ma'am, thank you!—Atlanta Journal.

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How to Be Handsome.

It is a mistake to suppose that the only way to be good looking is to be born so. Good health has more to do with good looks than anything else. Such diseases as constipation, dyspepsia, liver complaints, rheumatism, nervous disorders, &c., not only shorten life, but spoil tempers and "looks." Bacon's Celery King for the nerves cures these troubles. John J. Chambers sells it and will give a sample pack-free.

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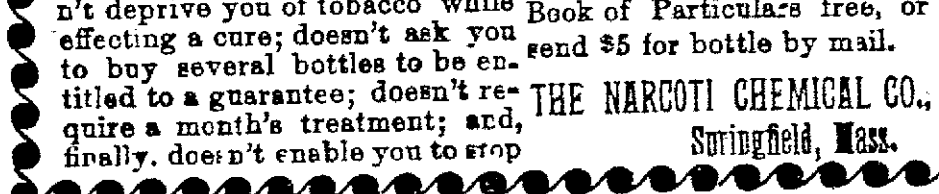
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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.

—George Joyner, of White Sulphur Springs, was grooming his father's horse, the other day, when the animal raised its foot to strike at flies and bit Mr. Joyner in the face, breaking his cheek bone.

—Believing no doubt that with one of its inhabitants in jail for shooting a bear tamer, no one else in Summitville would be likely to molest them, fourteen bear tamers gathered there a week after the killing of Courate. They will probably hang about the county until after the Grand Jury meets, next month.

—Robt. Drennon, a veteran of the 143d Regiment, died in Liberty, Sunday, aged eighty-three years.

—At a meeting held, Saturday afternoon, to arrange for organizing an association to build a half mile track at Sherwood's Island Park, Livingston Manor, James Murdock, Fred Nitchke and D. T. Eastman were appointed a committee to lease the track for twenty or twenty-five years. It is expected that \$1,500 or \$2,000 will be spent in building a first class track.

BEFORE THE SURROGATE.

What Has Been Going on in Surrogate Coleman's Court.

Report of proceedings before Special Surrogate George W. McElroy, ending Aug. 27th, 1895.

WILLS ADMITTED.

Last will and testament of Mary H. Vail, late of the city of Middletown. Ella N. Wright and Susie H. Vail, executrices.

ADMINISTRATION.

The following letters of administration have been granted:

On the estate of Nicholas Morris, late of the town of Goshen, to Katie T. Morris, daughter. Of Isaac Dilliston, late of the town of Greenville, to Martha E. Dilliston, widow.

GUARDIANSHIP.

The following letters of guardianship have been issued:

Of the person and property of Annie McCauley, to Terrence McCauley, father, both of the town of Goshen. Of Edwin T. Skidmore to Thomas H. Skidmore, Jr., father, both of the city of Middletown.

DECEASED.

The following decrees have been entered:

In the matter of the judicial accounting of George S. Dayo, administrator of, &c., of Mary R. Seymour, late of the town of Montgomery. Of Wm. B. King, executor of, &c., of Robt. McCoy, late of the town of Chester. Of Martin B. Cox, administrator of, &c., of Elizabeth Penney, late of the town of Mount Hope. Of T. C. Beattie, executor of, &c., of David Beattie, late of the town of Wallkill. Of Henry H. Dill, administrator of, &c., of Julia A. Kirby, late of the city of Middletown.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—Mr. J. H. Barrett has been removed from the position of General Superintendent by the receivers of the Ohio Southern Railroad. He has filled the offices of Eastern Division Superintendent, Superintendent of Transportation and General Superintendent of the Erie.

The Erie's Excursion, Thursday.

The Erie's \$1 excursion to New York, to-morrow, will allow plenty of time to see the races at Fleetwood.

The special train leaves James street 7:34, Main street 7:58, and arrives in New York, 10:07 a. m. Returning leaves New York at 7:40 p. m., giving over nine hours in New York. Enough special trains will be run to assure everyone a seat.

Population of the State Hospital.

According to the Conglomerate, there were, Tuesday, 1,130 patients in the State Homeopathic Hospital for the Insane, in this city, of whom 551 were males and 579 females. During the week two patients were admitted and five discharged.

New Directories.

The Argus is indebted to the Breed Publishing Co., of Newburgh, for copies of directories of the O. and W. road from Norwich to Oswego; Port Jervis, Milford and Monticello, and of the villages along the line of the Wallkill Valley road.

The Shakers have made a discovery which is destined to accomplish much good. Realizing that three-fourths of all our sufferings arise from stomach troubles, that the country is literally filled with people who cannot eat and digest food, without subsequently suffering pain and distress, and that many are starving, wasting to mere skeletons, because their food does them no good, they have devoted much study and thought to the subject, and the result is this discovery of their digestive Cordial.

A little book can be obtained from your druggist that will point out the way of relief at once. An investigation will cost nothing and will result in much good.

Children all hate to take Castor Oil, but not LAXOL, which is palatable.

O'HOOOLIGAN'S MASQUERADE.

A Farce Comedy Full of Amusing Features, at the Casino, Aug. 31st.

"O'Hooligan's Masquerade," which will be presented on Saturday evening, Aug. 31st, at the Casino, is a farce comedy of the brightest type from the pen of Mr. Frank Dumont with a new and original plot full of catchy music, dances, songs and headed by the celebrated comedians Gallagher and West and Watson and Dupree. These people have wisely secured the services of the very best people from the profession among whom may be found Dan Lacy, Ida Russell, May Lamereaux, Al Tamer and many others. Those who desire a thoroughly good laugh should not fail to see O'Hooligan.

MOUNT HOPE.

Lecture by Rev. F. J. Stanley—Sunday services—Personal and Local Notes.

—Rev. F. J. Stanley will lecture in the Mount Hope Church, on Friday evening, Aug. 30th. There will be no admission charged but an offering will be taken for Mr. Stanley. All are cordially invited.

—Rev. John Hutchinson, of Arlington, N. J., preached for Rev. Luther Little, Sunday evening, from Hebrews 11:7. He gave a very able discourse.

—Rev. C. E. Cortright preached at Westbrookeville, Sunday afternoon.

—The district school will open, Tuesday, Sept. 3rd.

—Mrs. John Jackson and daughter are the guests of Mrs. Jane Quigley.

—Mr. Roy Everett, of Goshen, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Ira Ketcham.

—The Ladies' Missionary Society will meet at the parsonage, on Wednesday, at 2:30.

An Awful Calamity

In the year 1901 I remember seeing a very dismal procession passing down the street. It consisted of an elderly gentleman, well dressed—only his hat had fallen off—walking, hand-cuffed between two policemen, while another policeman marched behind.

The elderly gentleman looked pitifully conscious of his disgraceful situation. The boys ran after. The people in the street looked on curiously.

"What has he done?" asked one. "He didn't go to see Lillian Kennedy in the great comedy 'A Mid-night Frolic'."

Isn't it shameful.

Triple Killing at Sweet Grass.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 28.—Word has been received here of a triple killing which occurred at Sweet Grass, on the international boundary. Sunday William Long, a cowboy who is said to be a whisky smuggler, killed a mounted policeman named Richardson. After the shooting of Richardson Long went to C. B. Toole's ranch, where he is alleged to have killed Ira Brown, one of the sheep ranch. The latter was dying shot Long, killing him almost instantly.

Foul Play Feared.

HOTSPRING, Ark., Aug. 28.—Mrs. Philip Schumann, wife of the manager of the C. Schumann Brewing company, left the residence of John Nelson, in West Houghton, at 9 o'clock Monday night to walk home a distance of less than two miles. Since then absolutely no trace of her whereabouts has been found and foul play is feared. Searching parties are hunting for clues and the lake may be dragged.

Killed Her Brutal Assailant.

OSHTON, N. Y., Aug. 28.—A meat peddler named Kempfman forced an entrance into the bath room of Mrs. Mattie Kellar, in North Street, a suburb six miles east of here, and assaulted her despite vigorous resistance. Kempfman was intoxicated and while he lay in a drunken stupor Mrs. Kellar seized a gun and put a bullet in his side, killing him instantly.

The Chair's Gift to Montenegro.

GETTING, Montenegro, Aug. 28.—The steamer Rosoff, from Cronstadt, has arrived off the coast, near Antivari, with a cargo consisting of 3,000 rifles, 15,000,000 cartridges, a number of cannon and machine guns and a quantity of dynamite and other munitions of war, all of which form the czar's present to Montenegro.

The Tunnel Fire Still Raging.

SHAWNEE, O., Aug. 27.—A fire in Bristol tunnel, Shawnee branch of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, supposed to have begun at 11 p. m. on Monday is still raging, and water is scarce. Shawnee and Newark firemen are at the respective ends.

Stolen Treasure Given Up for Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Wells Fargo & Co. no longer entertain a hope of recovering the \$30,000 stolen from the train which was held up near Wiggins Station, Cal., last October. Two empty bags, which originally contained the missing treasure, have been found near the scene of the robbery. Each contained \$10,000.

Mr. Inman Evidently Drowned.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The search for Robert W. Inman, Jr., who was lost from the yacht Adelaide Monday night, has failed to bring to light any traces of the whereabouts of the missing man. All the others were rescued.

Athletes

Don't get their almost superhuman strength by resting, but by continual exercise. The tip of your arm and see how quickly it will lose its strength. Don't rest your arm and see how soon it becomes impotent to do the slightest work.

Fit good nourishing food, and take Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills, which will quickly by your stomach becomes ill and anxious to do its part. While wrapped in constipation, yellow if bowels are loose. Sample free.

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Dixon Got the Decision.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—George Dixon, the colored lightweight boxer of Boston, was given the decision last evening over Johnny Griffin, the "Brainiac Lad," at the end of a twenty-five round match held under the auspices of the Farragut club, in the Newton street armory. The decision was a surprise to the majority of the 3,000 people present, it having been generally understood that there was to be no decision if both men were on their feet at the end of the twenty-fifth round, unless, perhaps, there should be a decided difference in the condition of the men. Both men were certainly in very good condition at the end of the twenty-fifth round, although Dixon had done the better work of the two. Griffin surprised his friends by the game manner in which he took Dixon's punishment, and they confidently expected a draw.

Starter Caldwell in a Fit Fight.

DETROIT, Aug. 28.—A sensation was created at the Windsor track yesterday. The well known horseman, Frank Ireland, was remonstrating with Delaney (starter Caldwell's assistant) for whipping the boy on Hanban while the horses were at the post. Caldwell took up the quarrel and stepped out of the stand. He and Ireland clinched and exchanged several blows. The executive committee, after the race, promptly cancelled their engagement with Caldwell and fined Ireland \$500.

Four Killed in a Feud.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Aug. 28.—A bloody war between two factions, resulting from a long standing feud, has been fought in the Cumberland mountains, seventy-five miles north of here, on the Virginia and Kentucky lines. A number of Boyd relatives and Thomas relatives with Winchester met at an illicit distillery, where the battle began. Four men, John Boyd, Will Cox, Jack Thomas and Floyd Thomas, are dead and several wounded.

Two Boys Drowned.

CHELSEA, Mass., Aug. 28.—William H. Barnes, 11 years old, and his cousin, Irving W. Theobald, 13 years old, of Stoneham, were drowned in the Mystic river near the naval hospital grounds. The boys were playing on a small raft and were thrown into the water by it partially turning over.

Sioux City's Latest Tragedy.

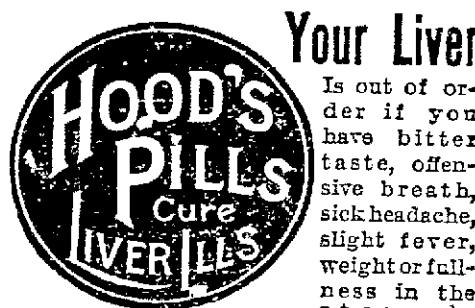
STOUC CITY, Ia., Aug. 28.—Startling developments came to light yesterday in connection with Sunday morning's double tragedy, in which Max Noack and Ira Miner, alias Hazel Hammond, lost their lives. The most important find was the discovery of the imprint of a strange man's hand on the door in the room in which the bodies were found and an exit to the alley below, which had not been noticed before. A hammer with which appears to be human blood on it was also found. It is now thought that this hammer figured in the killing. Last evening Maud Hoyle and Dan Barry, a pugilist who formerly lived in Omaha, were arrested charged with murder in the first degree. The officers have become convinced that the couple were killed by a third person, whose identity is as yet unknown, for the purpose of robbery.

Killed a Woman and Three Children.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The coroner's jury investigating the murder of Mrs. Reynolds and her three children at Mansfield on Aug. 11, returned a verdict of wilful murder against Henry Wright, a lodger in the Reynolds house. Wright stabbed the woman and the three children, set fire to the house and unsuccessfully attempted to commit suicide.

Resumed After Two Years' Idleness.

READING, Pa., Aug. 28.—Seyfert & Bro.'s rolling mill, at Reading, this county, resumed operations yesterday after two years' idleness with 250 hands employed.



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If you are incurable they will tell you; therefore invalids must not take offense if they are rejected, as no case will be accepted unless there is a moral certainty of a cure being effected. These Doctors are graduates of the best universities of Europe and America; they are of the highest standing in the medical profession and have had unlimited experience in the treatment of all Chronic Diseases and Deformities. As the latest methods, instruments and appliances of the various schools of both the Old and the New World are familiar to and at the command of this staff of doctors, it is reasonable to believe that in ninety cases out of every hundred a cure can be effected, even when the patients have been given up as incurable by doctors who have had less experience. Do not be discouraged because your doctor cannot give you relief, or even if he tells you that you cannot get well, for it matters not what your disease may be, you can consult the doctors free, and, if curable, they will treat you; if incurable, they will give you such advice as will tend to prolong life and afford you the greatest relief.

The doctor visits Middletown one day each month. Will be at 21 Broom street, Port Jervis, Wednesday, Sept. 4th. Office hours from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1895.

Boss Odell and his henchmen, Assemblyman Goodsell, are in Sullivan county, ostensibly on a fishing trip. It is a safe gamble, though, that they catch more Platt delegates than fish.

Gov. McKinley, a day or two ago, said in an interview that Ohio industries are all growing and that the outlook for the future is bright. And this under a Democratic tariff that McKinley protested and proclaimed would bring ruin to every American industry.

A suit to test the constitutionality of the law, passed last winter, requiring railroads to issue 1,000 mile books has been begun. A. F. Beardsley, of Elmira, probably by concert arrangement, has sued the Erie for \$50 for refusal to sell him a book, the demand having been made before the new issue of books was put on sale. It is proposed to carry the case to the court of last resort. The contention of the railroad is that the law requiring the issuing of mileage books at two cents a mile is unconstitutional since it impairs the validity of contracts, most of the railroads being authorized by law to charge three cents a mile.

Prof. Huxley could not recognize what he knew to be the truths of science with the Christian religion as revealed in the Bible. He did not deny the existence of God, but reason and analogy proved to his analytical mind that there can be no life beyond the grave, that death ends all. He was not, like many scientists, who hold similar views, an active enemy of revealed religion, but when he thought it was necessary did not hesitate to define his position in regard to it, which was, in brief, that there were some things he knew and some things he did not know, and other things that neither he nor any other man could know until they had passed beyond life's bounds. In view of this, those who believe as he did and the whole Christian world will read with interest the following lines, selected by himself, which have been engraved upon his tomb:

And if there be no meeting past the grave,
If all is darkness, silence, yes 'tis rest
Be not afraid ye waiting hearts that weep,
For God still giveth His beloved sleep,
And if an endless sleep, He wills so best.

Dr. Parkhurst, under date of Aug. 13th, wrote from Vevey, on Lake Geneva, a letter to the City Vigilance League in which he vigorously discusses political affairs and reform prospects in New York city. In regard to the New York Police Department Dr. Parkhurst says that the reason it was so difficult to get "high official criminals" out of it is because Lexow, O'Connor and Robertson did not promptly spring to the emergency and push police bills of a character sufficiently drastic to hit the situation. Dr. Parkhurst says:

Police reform would have been possible if, promptly at the beginning of the session last winter, Clarence Lexow had been as anxious to satisfy the demands of the people as he was to jump to the political pull of his political master. The police force is to-day the half rotten thing that it is because the members of the Senate Investigating Committee did not stand up in the strength of manly moral courage and insist upon immediate action fitted to the honor. If there is anything that New York city can do to help prevent Clarence Lexow from going back to Albany it ought, in self-respect, to do it.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

IT IS QUAY'S CONVENTION.

He Defeats the Combine in the Struggle for Control by a Vote of 164 to 131—After the Victory He Is Magnanimous and Goes In For Harmony.

BY UNITED PRESS.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 23.—The leaders of the Republican factions were in conference until 5 o'clock, this morning, and agreements were reached on some points, so that the aspect of affairs is less warlike.

None but delegates, contestants and newspaper men are to be admitted to the convention hall. The Philadelphia and Wyoming contests were disposed of by seating the representatives of both factions and giving each half a vote.

CHEERS FOR QUAY

Senator Quay entered the convention hall in company with Congressman Scofield, and was given an ovation. Gilkeson came in soon after Quay. The appearance of Senator Penrose, Quay's Philadelphia champion, was the signal for a storm of applause.

CALLED TO ORDER.

Despite the agreement to exclude spectators, several hundred are in the galleries. It was nearly noon before Chairman Gilkeson called the convention to order. Senator Quay nominated Congressman Robinson for temporary chairman, and the "combine" nominated Speaker Hall, of the House of Representatives, as their candidate. The heat in the hall is unbearable. Quay removed his coat and others followed, and Hastings fanned himself with a fan on which was an advertisement with the heading, "Keep cool; vote for Quay."

JEERS FOR GILKESON—CHEERS FOR QUAY. While ex-Senator Cooper was seconding Robinson's nomination, and pleading for harmony, Gilkeson interrupted him and asked what motion he was speaking to. Cooper replied that he was in order since he was seconding a nomination, whereupon the Quay delegates jeered Gilkeson. At this point Senator Quay leaped over two rows of seats and shook hands with Gov. Hastings, at which the Convention cheered wildly.

QUAY'S VICTORY

Robinson was elected over Hall by a vote of 164 to 131, and on the latter's motion the election was made unanimous. This gives Quay control of the Committee on Organization and makes him master of the situation. On the announcement of the vote the Convention went Quay-wild.

On the motion of Senator Quay the Committee on Permanent Organization was instructed to report the name of Gov. Hastings for permanent chairman.

A motion by Gov. Hastings that the Convention finish its business with a recess was adopted.

In the interest of "harmony" Gilkeson will move Quay's election as chairman of the State Committee.

AN ERA OF HARMONY.

Benjamin Wood was nominated for State Treasurer by acclamation. On motion of Quay the six present Republican members of the Superior Court will be nominated by acclamation. Gilkeson announced his withdrawal as a candidate for state chairmanship in the interest of party harmony and moved the selection of Quay.

A CAMPAIGN OF MERIT.

Senator Quay was unanimously elected state chairman. In reply to calls for a speech Quay simply said: "I will endeavor in the campaign now ensuing to make it a campaign of merit."

HEAVY SENTENCE FOR CHILD ABANDONMENT

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Rogers, who abandoned his five-year-old son, James, in the Continental Hotel, three weeks ago, was sentenced, today, to two years and two months in State prison.

DEATH OF JUDGE DUFFY.

BY UNITED PRESS.

Toms River, Aug. 23.—Ex-Police Justice Duffy, of New York, died here, this morning.

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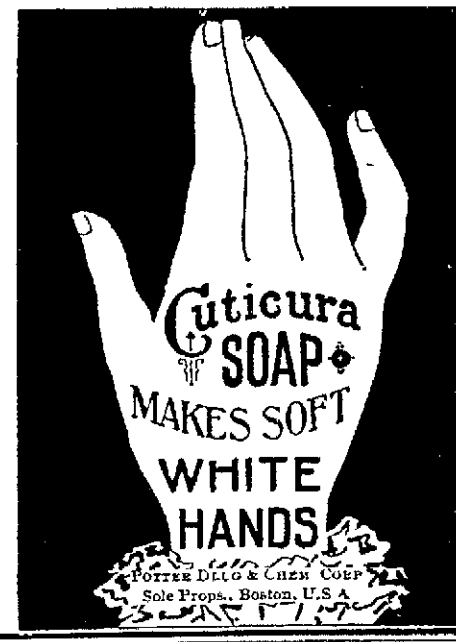
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A Question That Should Be Carefully Considered by the Council—Rochester's Experience With a Brick Paved Street Under Heavy Traffic.

Now that the paving of East Main street is again an open question because of Mayor Stansbury's refusal to approve the Catskill brick contract awarded to Mr. Harrington, it would be well for the Council to seriously consider whether brick is the best and most durable pavement on a street where there is as much and as heavy traffic as on East Main street.

The brick pavement laid only last year on North street, if examined closely, will be found to show signs of wear and in other cities where similar pavements have been laid a few years use, brings out abundant proofs of wear and disintegration, more or less uneven spots and the "wash board" effect that advocates of other pavements talk of.

A Rochester man, writing to the New York Tribune, describes the condition of a brick pavement laid three years ago on a street in that city, on which the traffic is no greater than it is on East Main street. The pavement was laid with the best bricks, in the best manner possible, on a concrete base, with asphaltum tar poured into the interstices between the bricks, but it already plainly shows the effect of wear and cannot last many years longer. Its condition is such that the city engineer will advise against the use of bricks in paving any of Rochester's business streets.

A "permanent improvement" that will have to be replaced in a few years is not what East Main street property owners want, and if the Council wishes to do its full duty it will thoroughly satisfy itself as to the durability of brick pavements under heavy traffic, before forcing the laying of one on East Main street.

Successful operations by surgeons are reported and published to the surgeon's credit, and it is also a benefit to the public to know of his skill. In this way Drs. Jones and Potter and their ability to cure rupture have become familiar to the public. Russell House, Thursdays.

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NEVILLE—In this city, Aug. 27 h. '95, Dennis Neville, aged twenty-nine years, seven months sixteen days. Funeral services Thursday, Aug. 29th, at ten a. m. from the residence of his father, Thomas Neville, No. 9 Rowan street; solemn requiem mass at ten-thirty, at St. Joseph's Church. Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

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